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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MS AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: 12/03/2004 MBEYENE1 00000023 09719757

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Applitants Request a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on August 2, 2004, and the period set for response was three (3) months, bringing the response to be due on November 2, 2004.

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Therefore, a one (1) month extension of time will bring the response due on December 2, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$110.00 for a large entity, one-month extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 16-2025. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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